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Powder and Heat Treating Equipment

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the Office Action of April 1, 2008 in connection with the above-identified application.

This amendment includes:

Amendments to the Specification are reflected on page 2 of this paper

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.